Principal’s Message

Last week’s Carol’s by Torchlight evening was a huge success with so many families attending the art exhibition and the festive entertainment under the COLA. The students from the dance groups performed and all children had the opportunity to sing a variety of Christmas songs to welcome the festive season.

We were all very fortunate that the rain held off until we were all packed up and on our way home. Miss Williams and Mr Eccleston were thanked for their organisation in coordinating the evening and we were all most grateful to the parents who ran the BBQ and sold novelty items. Mr E took several photographs of the evening that appear within.

Visiting the art exhibition

Diary Dates

December
11 Year 6 Farewell
12 Principal’s Assembly 12.15-1.25pm
      Kindergarten excursion
15 Celebration of Learning 9.00-11am
      Last Day For Canteen
17 Last Day of School

Merry Christmas

The P & C AGM: Monday 9 February 2015 in the staffroom at 9.00am.
Our school leaders visited Parliament House in Sydney on Friday at the request of Hon. Dr Andrew MacDonald MP, to receive certificates in recognition of their service to our school. A number of other school leaders were also invited and they all had the opportunity to enter the chamber and ask questions about the role, responsibilities and requirements of state politicians.

A. Ross, K. Lamba, A. Islam, A. Luong and P. Tan Bautista outside Parliament House

School captains and vice captains for 2015 will be announced at the Principals’ Awards Assembly on Friday 12 December. This assembly will commence at 12.15pm.

The Celebration of Learning will be held next Monday, 15 December in the hall. Years 3-6 will commence their award presentation shortly after 9.00am. K-2 will follow from 10.15am. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Following the Celebration of Learning, teachers will be hosting a morning tea to thank parents for contributing to the school as a hard working member of the P&C and/or for helping in classrooms, at sporting activities and special events. Please come and join us from 11.15am in the staffroom.

As I am writing this week’s Broadcaster, the students and teachers are attending their picnic and movie day as an end of year treat. Thank you Mrs Eccleston for organising this event.

Please be reminded that the last day for students is Wednesday 17 December. In following tradition, there will be a cricket match between staff and Year 6 on this day from 9.15am on the back oval. Parents are invited to attend. Ex-students are also welcome to attend. However, they must be accompanied by a parent. We will not able to have school aged ex-students on site without the direct supervision of a parent.

5/6K Maths Champs!

Last week, 5/6K worked extremely hard to achieve some excellent results using the Mathletics website. Below are some screen shots of our achievements. We were placed 22nd in Australia and 41st in the world.

5/6K Maths Champs!

St Vincent de Paul Christmas Appeal

THANK YOU to everybody who contributed to the food appeal. Our final total of food items was 414! We had a few families who donated a large number of items and would like to thank these families for their generosity. Last Friday representatives from Macquarie Fields St Vincent de Paul collected these items and were grateful for our donation. These items will be used to make food hampers to support families in the local area.

Louise Williams
Carols

Glenfield's Got Artists

[Images of various scenes from a school event with children singing and artwork displayed]